

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*).—Government are aware that the number of girls (viz. 215) is fairly large.

Strength of Class IV—aided Malayalam Schools and Sirkar Schools.

253. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar (*Nellayi*).—Will the Government be pleased to state (a) the strength of class IV in each of the aided Malayalam schools in the State last year, and the actual number that sat for the examination;

(b) the strength of class IV in each of the Sirkar schools and the number that sat for the examination in each class last year?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*).—(a) and (b) Please see the lists appended. (*Appendix I*).

Aided Schools—particulars regarding.

254. Mr. A. Narayana Menon (*Vyttila*).—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) the number of teachers who were working in the aided schools in the State in 1109 and 1110;

(2) how many of such teachers were (a) Brahmins (b) other thread-wearing Hindus (c) Ambalavasis (d) Nairs (e) Christians (f) Ezhuvas (g) Muslims (h) others;

(3) what was the grant disbursed to aided school teachers of each of the above castes in 1109 and 1110;

(4) what was the amount disbursed towards contingencies to the various aided schools of the State; how much of such amount went to Christian managed schools;

(5) was any demand for contribution to the Provident Fund of any teacher made by any manager?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*).—

		1109	1110
(1)		3287	3396
(2)	a.	226	224
	b.	69	74
	c.	102	103
	d.	825	861
	e.	1663	1723

f.	231	240
g.	71	73
h.	100	98
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(3) a.	37,640 1 0	40,485 3 0
b.	11,624 7 0	11,860 7 0
c.	16,725 1 0	10,872 5 0
d.	1,39,229 14 0	1,41,508 9 0
e.	2,92,875 2 0	2,95,397 12 0
f.	34,214 2 0	35,663 9 0
g.	9,472 4 0	9,741 2 0
h.	14,397 14 0	14,873 13 0
(4)	66,577 4 8	68,424 4 10
	42,361 0 6	42,672 3 0
(5)	Yes.	

Mr. A. Narayana Menon (Vyttila).—With regard to sub-division (5), may I know who are the Managers who had demanded contribution to the provident fund of teachers?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (Director of Public Instruction).—I cannot say exactly.

Mr. A. Narayana Menon (Vyttila).—Has the contribution demand been granted?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (Director of Public Instruction).—Where conditions are fulfilled the contributions are always granted.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni (Trichur South).—How many Christian aided institutions will there be in the State?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (Director of Public Instruction).—It is impossible to give the exact number. Even these figures were arrived at after laborious search. What I say should be taken subject to correction. It must be over 300.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni (Trichur South).—May I know what are the other aided institutions run by other communities?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (Director of Public Instruction).—Sir, it is absolutely impossible to answer that now.